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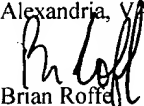
Applicants herewith submit a list of references including those cited in Examination Reports for a corresponding British patent application. A copy of each of the Examination Reports is provided. An English-language Abstract of the foreign patent references is also provided and it is noted that GB2319378 cited in the Examination Report corresponds to US 6058339. Since this application is being filed after June 30, 2003, the requirement for a copy of the U.S. patent publications has been waived.

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better prior art exists.

While the term "reference" is used in citing each of the publications called to the Examiner's attention

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herein, applicants do not make any admission that each or all of them are "prior art" references within the meaning of the statutory and case law.

Applicants reserve the right to contend, where appropriate, that a reference asserted against any claim of the present application is not prior art under the facts and the law.

Applicants also reserve the right to present appropriate arguments and/or evidence to establish patentability over the references, should one or more of the references be applied against the claims of the present application.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner independently determine those items that the Examiner would consider the most pertinent of all the references cited herein.

It is respectfully requested that these references be considered and made of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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PTO-1449 (2 pages)
Seven References
Two Examination Reports

